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Title : Control Apparatus and Control Method for Multi-Cylinder Engine

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.323**

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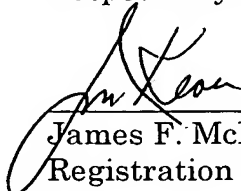
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It is respectfully requested that the attached Certificate of Correction be entered in the patent identified above. It is noted that the application number, filing date, and patent number of the parent application listed in Item (63) of the title page of the patent is incorrect.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**On the title page, column 1 should read:**

**(63) Continuation of application No. 10/390,771, filed on Mar. 19, 2003, now Pat. No. 7,128,048.**

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